

## ABSTRACT TO THE DISCLOSURE

5       A device (2) dedicated to the processing of  
management data for a communications network (N),  
representing the use of the resources and/or services  
within the network, comprises processing means (5)  
arranged so as to determine, from the management data,  
primary data representing a state of use of the network by  
10   at least one user who has made an SLA with the operator of  
the network, and then to compare this state of use with  
ancillary data representing the SLA, so as to determine an  
action to be undertaken in the event of detection of at  
least one difference between the primary data and the  
15   ancillary data.

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